

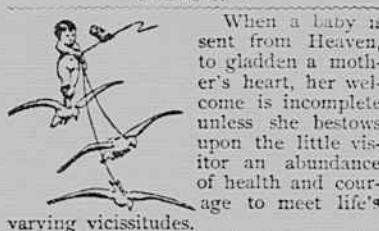
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## MEDICINE



When a baby is sent from Heaven, to gladden a mother's heart, her welcome is incomplete unless she bestows upon the little visitor an abundance of health and courage to meet life's varying vicissitudes.

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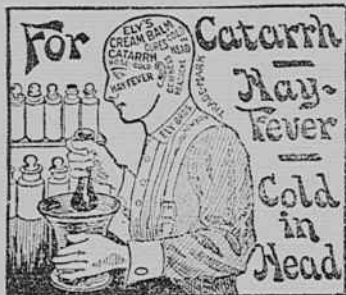
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## TRANSFER OF MONTICELLO

In response to an inquiry Mr. W. C. N. Randolph, of Albemarle county, has written the following in regard to the transfer of Monticello, the historic home of Thomas Jefferson.

"Mr. Jefferson at his death thought that out of the wreck of his estate could be saved Monticello for his daughter, his father, Thomas Jefferson Randolph, his grandson, was his executor, and in one way or another was responsible for every one of his debts. Having sold his whole estate, the debt was about \$600,000 and Monticello. In 1833 he saw himself and was advised by his friends that the same process was going on that had ruined Mr. Jefferson; namely, that they were being eaten out of house and home by their numerous visitors, and that there was no possible way of stopping it, and being fully sustained by the advice of his friends, he determined to sell Monticello for what he could get. He sold during that year to a Mr. Barclay, or rather exchanged it for a piece of property in the town of Charlottesville, for which he got \$5,000.

"Mrs. Randolph would have been entirely penniless had it not been that the States of South Carolina and Louisiana each gave her \$10,000. My father had to pay for his grandfather about \$600,000 after all the property had been sold. About the commencement of the war he was practically out of debt, owing a fairly good estate, and had raised and educated twelve children.

"Mr. Barclay in three years became very sick of his bargain and sold it in 1836 to Mr. Uriah P. Levy, an officer in the U. S. navy, for \$3,000, I think. Mr. Levy, with members of his family, lived there for many years and added more land to the estate; how much I do not know. The house was kept in very good repair. The Commodore, to us who were descendants of Jefferson, was very kind. I remember many instances of great refinement of feeling shown by him in his intercourse with us.

"Some time early in the fifties he moved back to New York, leaving the place in the hands of an agent; it became more dilapidated. During the war it was confiscated by the Confederate government; no repairs being made during that period, it practically remained in the hands of the same agent. The Commodore died just after the war, I think. The confiscation being nugatory, the estate was to be disposed of under certain provisions in his will. He left it to the United States under certain conditions; they declined it. He left it to a Jewish society in Philadelphia, I think; they also declined it. It was then to go to the State of Virginia; it would not accept it with its conditions. Thus it reverted to his heirs.

"In the settlement of his estate the property was sold in open market and

Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption.

This is the best medicine in the world for all forms of Coughs and Colds and for Consumption. Every bottle is guaranteed. It will cure and not disappoint. It has no equal for Whooping Cough, Asthma, Hay Fever, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, La Grippe, Cold in the Head and for Consumption. It is safe for all ages, pleasant to take, and, above all, a sure cure. It is always well to take Dr. King's New Life Pills in connection with Dr. King's New Discovery, as they regulate and tone the stomach and bowels. We guarantee perfect satisfaction or return money. Free trial bottles at E. L. Allen's Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and \$1.00.

The Westfield (Ind.) News prints the following in regard to an old resident of that place: "Frank McAvoy, for many years in the employ of the L. N. & O. R. R., here, says: 'I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy for ten years or longer—am never without it in my family. I consider it the best remedy of the kind manufactured. I take pleasure in recommending it.' It is a specific for all bowel disorders. For sale by J. H. Janney, Druggist, 701 King street.

After using a 10 cent trial size of Ely's Cream Balm you will be sure to buy the 50 cent size. Cream Balm has no equal in curing eczema and cold in the head. Ask your druggist for it or send 10 cents to us.

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56 Warren Street, New York City.  
I suffered from catarrh three years; it got so bad I could not work. I used two bottles of Ely's Cream Balm and am entirely cured. It could not be without it. A. C. Clarke, 3141 Shawmut Avenue, Boston.

That tired feeling, which is experienced by so many people living in Malarial districts, can be cured by taking Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. 50 cents. Is as pleasant as Lemon Syrup. To get the GENUINE ask for GROVE'S.

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TO BE GIVEN AWAY TO-DAY

At Charles G. Lennon's Drug Store

CAUSES A SENSATION

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JULIUS HOBBS, M. D.

The announcement made in this paper yesterday, that a free package of Dr. Hobbs Sparagus Kidney Pills would be given away to anyone asking for it at Chas. G. Lennon's Drug Store today, caused an intense interest and great discussion amongst the public generally.



Many persons called yesterday to inquire about the free samples of these pills, which are to be given away to day. One gentleman, standing in the store, remarked: "The proprietors of the remedy must know that it possesses great merit, or they would never expend so much money in giving away samples, to say nothing of the cost of the advertisements."

Another caller, a lady, said: "I believe I will call to-morrow and get a sample, for the offer seems so fair and honest that I am inclined to place faith in the medicine, even before I get it."

It is expected that to day there will be a great rush of applicants for a free package of Dr. Hobbs Sparagus Kidney Pills. But no matter what the demand is, Charles G. Lennon, the Druggist, is well prepared to meet it.

All those living in Alexandria or any town outside, who apply at our store to-day in person or write for a sample, will be welcome, and not only a

FREE SAMPLE BOX

of this wonderful medicine will be given or sent to each applicant, but also Dr. Hobbs' little book, which in a concise way treats on kidney and bladder troubles, rheumatism and diseases of the blood.

This great free distribution ends to-night, so that all who wish to avail themselves of Dr. Hobbs' generous offer should call or write immediately, or they will miss the opportunity.

CHARLES G. LENNON, Pharmacist, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

was bought by Mr. Jefferson M. Levy. He has very much improved the property; the grounds are arranged as Mr. Jefferson designed them to be; he has opened the house and grounds to visitors under such rules as would be only necessary to protect the property. Charges no fee for admission and never has except when he gave the returns to the Charlottesville Hospital. Naturally he does not expose his curios that fill the house to anybody that his own card does not admit, or except when he is present. The mansion and its grounds are open to everybody.

"From my personal knowledge, about ten years ago he was offered by a wealthy relative of mine \$100,000 for the place; he promptly declined it, and said it could not be bought for any sum of money, giving as a reason that his own associations with it were very dear to him.

"While it would be well, if the States desired it, that the property should go into the hands of the general government, I don't see how it can be effected. Mr. Levy does not wish to sell, and it is his property.

"Now let me add that Mr. Levy has given every facility to the visitors and has been exceedingly liberal in the mode in which he has managed this estate, which now for forty-one years has been in the hands of his people."

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We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send or circulars, free.

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A Useful Leather Purse given to each purchaser.

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Best Corn Starch, per package... 4c  
Best Macaroni, per lb. 7c  
Evaporated Peaches, per lb. 8c  
Evaporated Apples... 5c  
Best California Prunes... 6c  
3 Cans Fine Table Peaches... 25c  
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